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ARMY BIRTHDAY CAKE COMPETITION AT VETERAN'S AFFAIRS HOSPITAL JUNE 12

FORT BRAGG, N.C. – The 18<sup>th</sup> Airborne Corps and Fort Bragg and the local Veteran's Affairs hospital will co-host a cake competition at the Fayetteville VA Medical Center Auditorium at 2 p.m., June 12.

Amateur and professional bakers are encouraged to register from June 4-8. Contestants can showcase their baking and cake decorating talents with a cake worthy of honoring the U.S. Army's 237<sup>th</sup> birthday.

This year's theme is "America's Army: The Strength of the Nation."

Only registered contestants will be allowed to enter their cakes on the day of the competition. Cakes will be judged on taste, design, originality and presentation of theme. Cakes must be untouched and in place on their designated tables in Room 304 on the third floor no later than 1 p.m. First, second and third place winners will receive prizes (to be announced).

This event will be open to veterans, the public and media. Registration deadline is Friday, June 8. Contestants and media please contact LTC Angela Funaro, at 910-908-3899 or email at <a href="mailto:braggpao@yahoo.com">braggpao@yahoo.com</a> to register or request additional details.